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Docket No: LICHTINGER-4

## REQUEST FOR FILING A CONTINUATION OR DIVISION OF AN INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION

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SIR:

This is a request for filing a [X] continuation [] divisional application under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b), of pending prior international application Number PCT/EP00/07562, filed on August 4, 2000, entitled ROTARY DEVICE FOR A HORIZONTAL INJECTION MOLDING MACHINE in the name of inventor(s) PETER LICHTINGER, which designates the United States.

[ ] Applicant claims small entity status pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.27.

## Enclosed are:

- [ ] Application Data Sheet.
- [X] Specification with 19 pages, 28 claims and 5 sheets of drawing.
- [ ] Declaration under 37 C.F.R § 1.63 with [ ] Power of attorney.
- [X] Assignment.
- [X] Cover letter in compliance with 37 C.F.R 3.31 to accompany the assignment submitted for recording.
- [X] Self-addressed postcard.

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[ <b>X</b> ]	Priority of foreign application number 199 37 200.4, filed August 6, 1999 in				
	Germany, is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 119(a)-(d).				
	[]	The certified copy is enclosed.			
[]	A preliminary amendment.				
[ <b>X</b> ]	An Information Disclosure Statement together with [X] PTO-Form 1449 and				
	[X] cited references.				
[]	Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:This				
	application is a				
	[]	continuation			
	[]	division			
	of pending international application number PCT/ , filed				

The filing fee is calculated as follows:

Basic Fee:	\$710.00
Additional Fees:	
Total number of claims: -20	\$ 00.00
Number of independent claims: -3	\$ 00.00
Multiple Dependent claims:	\$ 00.00
Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity:	\$
TOTAL FILING FEE	\$ 00.00

- [ ] A check in the amount of \$ to cover the filing fee of \$ and the official fee of \$ for recording the Assignment.
- [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee of \$40.00 for recording the Assignment to Deposit Account No. 06-0502. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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Pursuant to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.10 and §1.53, applicant respectfully requests that this application be assigned an application number and a filing date of April 6, 2001, the date upon which the application was mailed to the Patent and Trademark Office by Express Mail.

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